

**EASTON CEMETERY COMMITTEE  
SPECIAL MEETING  
Wednesday, November 9, 2016 7:00 PM  
SENIOR CENTER**

**MINUTES**

Present: Gary Haines, Joan Kirk (ex-officio) Ray Longo

Absent: Phil Doremus, Shaun Malay, Wayne Lyon

The Meeting was called to order at 7:09 PM.

There were no decisions made, since there was not a quorum.

**Review and approve minutes from the Regular Meeting on September 14<sup>th</sup>.**

There were no corrections. To be approved at the December meeting.

**Update on Lyon Cemetery by Wayne Lyon**

Gary said the lawn was mowed, but the leaves need to be raked. There may be a workday at this cemetery.

**Update on Center Street Cemetery**

The four cornerstones surrounding the memorial plot were re-set in September. Public Works delivered top soil. Grass seed was planted. Phil donated snow drop bulbs that were planted.

**Update on the Gilbertown headstone setting and repairs**

Three stones were set and two bases were installed at the October workday. The bases were put in at the Banks and Wakeman plots.

See attached workday summaries.

**Historical Society's proposed spring fund raiser**

Joan reported that The Historical Society is proposing a tour of the Historic Cemeteries in Easton. We will try to solicit Dan Cruson to narrate the tours. The event will be held in April or May.

**Workday planning (Nov. 19<sup>th</sup>)**

The workday will be at Gilbertown at 9:00AM.

**Other business**

Meeting for the 2017 calendar year will continue to be the second Wednesday of the month at the Senior Center at 7:00 PM. A vote will be made at the December meeting.

Adjourned at 7:20 PM.

Submitted by,

Joan Kirk

## **WORKDAY SUMMARY**

September 24, 2016

Gilberttown Cemetery

Reset two tombstones: Hannah Thorp and Mary Treadwell(recut bottom edge).

Recut bottom edge on Thomas Banks' tombstone and made new a new base(mortise was cut at Ontra Stone Concepts). The base needs to be installed.

Reset the cornerstones on the Town of Easton Memorial plot at Center Street Cemetery.

Twelve yards of topsoil was delivered to the Town of Easton Memorial plot at Center Street Cemetery by Ed Nagy's crew. The Cemetery Committee spread and graded the topsoil, fertilized and limed and planted grass seed and mulched.

Workday Attendees: Gary Haines, Drew King , Wayne Lyon and Ray Longo.

## **WORKDAY SUMMARY**

October 29, 2016

Gilberttown Cemetery

Reset three tombstones: Nathan Thorp,s/o William and Eunice, Sarah Peck and Hawley(Son).

Set two new bases: For Banks' and Wakeman's tombstones.

Workday Attendees: Gary Haines, Joan Kirk.